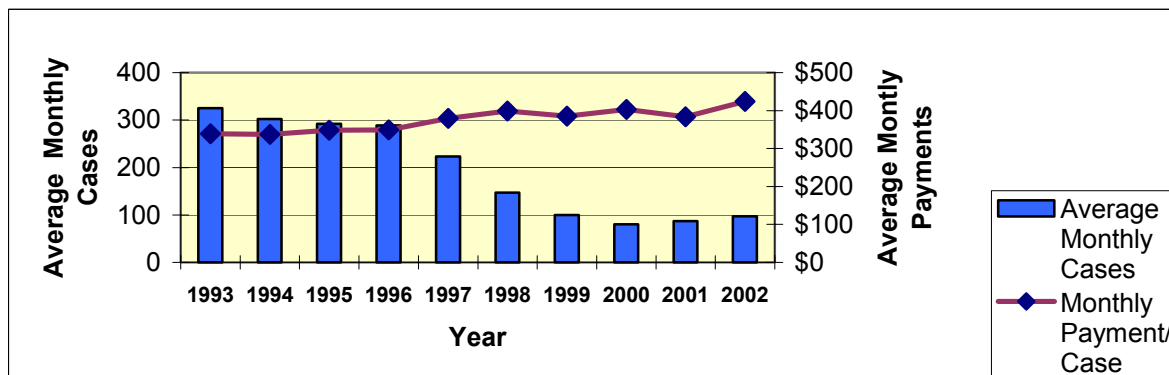


Low-income Family Assistance Programs: These numbers indicate the number of low-income families accessing community resources. In Gallatin County trends vary per program:

- FAIM average monthly cases show a drop in the number of families from 1993 (n=325) to 2002 (n=97)

Families Achieving Independence in Montana (FAIM)--Average Monthly Cases and Average Monthly Payments in Gallatin County 1993-2002



Source: Montana County Statistical Report, MT DPHHS

Note: Families Achieving Independence in Montana (FAIM)

is a welfare reform program which superseded Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) in February, 1996.